



## 2.1 VOC, DIRECT TO METAL High Solids Urethane Primer E2A819 Neutral Gray

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

E2A819 High Solids Urethane Primer is an air dry or low bake, direct to metal, high performance urethane primer designed for Fleet, Truck and Original Equipment Manufacturers that require a VOC compliant system. E2A819 Urethane Primer, depending on reduction, has a VOC of 2.1 with exempt solvents, 2.8 without exempt solvents.

### TECHNICAL DATA

• Color	Neutral Gray	• Flash Point	E2A819	99°F TOC
• Weight/Gallon (E2A819)	15.70 lbs/gal		V6V815	406°F TOC
• Mixing Ratio by Volume at 2.02 lbs/gal VOC			R7K7210	-4°F TOC
E2A819 : VS100/R7K7210 : V6V815	4 : 1 : 1		VS100	-4°F TOC
• Volume Solids at 4 : 1 : 1	59.0%	• Viscosity at 4 : 1 : 1 #2 Zahn Cup		13-17 sec
• Coverage at 1 mil (dry)	949 sq. ft/gal	• Performance after one week air dry (over		
• Pot life at 70-80°F unaccelerated	2 - 3 hours	Galvaneal and using SUNFIRE® Low VOC		
• Pot life at 70-80°F with 2 oz per ready to spray		as topcoat)		
gallon of GA1097	1 – 1.5 hours	- Humidity Resistance – 100 hours		Pass
• VOC using R7K7210 or VS100 at 4 : 1 : 1		- Impact Resistance (direct at 80 in-lbs)		Pass
excluding exempts	2.01 lbs/gal	- Flexibility (1/8" conical mandrel)		Pass
• VOC using R7K7210 or VS100 with 2 oz per		- Salt spray resistance – 250 hours		Pass
RTS gallon GA1097 at 4 : 1 : 1 excluding		- Gloss Holdout (at 15 minute re-coat)		Excellent
exempts	2.14 lbs/gal	• Recommended dry film thickness		
• HAPS Status	Compliant, Non-Photochemically Reactive	(2 coats)		1.5 – 2.0 mil

### SURFACE PREPARATION:

*Bare Substrates\*: Steel, Galvanized Steel, Aluminum*

*\*Note: With the inconsistencies of substrates, consult your local SHERWIN-WILLIAMS Representative for system recommendations and substrate testing.*

1. Solvent clean with SHER-WILL-CLEAN® Solvent Cleaner R7K156 or AQUA-MATE™ Low VOC Surface Cleaner W4K157 and wipe dry with a clean, dry cloth.
2. Mechanically abrade all bare metal. For optimum performance over hot-rolled steel, a media blast is required to remove any surface impurities.
3. Solvent clean with SHER-WILL-CLEAN® Solvent Cleaner R7K156 or AQUA-MATE™ Low VOC Surface Cleaner W4K157 and wipe dry with a clean, dry cloth. For hot-rolled steel, proceed to primer application.

(For the above products refer to the appropriate product label or data page for complete information.)

### Prepainted Substrates:

1. Wash surfaces with a mild detergent in hot water. Rinse well and wipe dry with a clean, dry cloth.
2. Solvent clean surfaces with UltraClean® Surface Cleaner R7K158, SHER-WILL-CLEAN® Solvent Cleaner R7K156 or AQUA-MATE™ Low VOC Surface Cleaner W4K157. Wipe dry with a clean, dry cloth.
3. Grind repair area to remove paint and all rust as needed. Fill as needed using an appropriate body filler. Allow body filler to tack up and shape as needed.
4. Sand repair area and featheredge using 80, 180, 280, and finish with 320 grit treated sandpaper on a random orbital sander. Solvent clean to remove sanding residue before recoating.

### MIXING

1. Stir or shake HS Urethane Primer thoroughly before mixing.
2. 2.01 lbs/gal VOC

E2A819	4	parts
VS100/R7K7210*	1	part
V6V815	1	part

*\*Note: For increased temperatures, ES20 can be used for improved overspray acceptance and melt-in.*

3. Up to 2oz. Of GA1097 Accelerator may be added to 1 gallon of Ready –To-Spray blend of the above to reduce dry times. Each ounce of GA1097 added, increases the VOC of the product 0.06 lbs./gal.
4. Stir thoroughly and strain before using.

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## APPLICATION

1. For proper results use the following equipment recommendations. Check equipment by applying High Solids Urethane Primer-Sealer to a test panel before using.
2. Apply 1 wet coat or 2 medium coats of High Solids Urethane Primer-Sealer to achieve the recommended dry film thickness of 2.0 mils.

### ▪ Pressure Feed:

Gun:	DeVilbiss JGA 502	Fluid Delivery:	10-12 ounces/minute
Fluid Tip:	FF or FX	Atomizing air psi:	50-55 at gun
Air Cap:	797	Gun Distance:	10-12 inches

<u>Binks Model 85 B</u>		<u>Kremlin KMP Conventional</u>		<u>Kremlin M21 HVLPSATA Jet/K-NR</u>	
<b>95/HVLP</b>					
Fluid Tip:	63B	Fluid Tip:	#15 (.055")	Fluid Tip/Needle:	#209 (.035)
Needle:	63AE	Air Cap:	33	Air Cap:	LP3
Air Cap:	PW	Atomizing air psi:	55 psi @ gun	Atomizing Air:	10 psi at Cap
Atomizing air psi:	35-45 psi @ gun	Fluid Delivery:	6-8 oz/min	Fluid Delivery:	6-8 oz/min
Fluid Delivery:	6 oz/min	Kilovolts:	75 KV	Gun Distance:	4-6 inches
Kilovolts:	60 KV	Gun Distance:	10-12 inches	Gun Distance:	4-6 inches

- **Clean spray equipment immediately after use with a quality solvent cleaner. The best flushing solvents for E2A819 Primer are ketones (MEK, MIBK, etc.) Blends containing alcohols can cause the formation of unstable material.**

## DRYING SCHEDULE

- **Air Dry:** @ 75 °F and 2.0 mils, dry times will be extended by thicker films. Higher temperatures and/or humidity will decrease dry times.

### Using V6V815 Hardener

	<u>Unaccelerated</u>	<u>1 Ounces GA1097 per RTS Gallon</u>	<u>2 Ounces GA1097 per RTS Gallon</u>
Hand Slick	5 minutes	<5 minutes	<5 minutes
Topcoatable	30 minutes	20 minutes	15 minutes
Dust free	2 hours	1 hour	30 minutes
Tack free	2-3 hours	1 hour	<1 hour
Dry to sand	4 hours	2 hours	1 hour

- **Bake:** 30 minutes at 180°F  
Dry to sand – after 15 minutes cool down  
Dry to recoat – after 15 minutes cool down.

## RECOATING

### Standard Using V6V815 Hardener with or without GA1097 Accelerator

1. E2A819 Urethane Primer may be topcoated after 45 minutes without accelerator and in 15-30 minutes with accelerator.
2. Recoat within 12 hours for optimum topcoat adhesion and up to 72 hours in non-sanding applications. (See notes below.)
3. After 72 hours thoroughly sand with 320 or 400 grit paper before topcoating for best adhesion results.

Note: Minimum recoat times will be extended if substrate and/or ambient temperatures are below normal.

- When using E2A819 Urethane Primer, allow topcoat to cure 72 hours before applying decals. Extend dry time in cool temperatures or if using large, thick, or foil backed decals
- When topcoating with ACRYLYD® 5.0 and ACRYLYD® HS 3.5, E2A819 must be sanded after 48 hours.

# PRODUCT – AT - GLANCE

## E2A819 Urethane Primer

### USE

- A premium quality, low VOC, air dry or low bake, urethane primer.
- High solids provides cross-coat coverage (double pass).
- Sprayable Volatile Organic Content of 2.02-2.13 pounds/gallon.
- Ideal as an OEM finish and refinish coating for fleets, trucks, and special vehicles.

### SUITABLE SUBSTRATES

- Cold Rolled Steel
- Electro-galvanized Steel
- Hot Rolled Steel
- Aluminum
- Fiberglass

### SURFACE PREPARATION

- **Wash** surfaces with a mild detergent in hot water. Rinse well and wipe dry with clean cloth.
- **Solvent clean** with an appropriate Sherwin-Williams solvent cleaner, and wipe dry with a clean cloth.
- **Scuff sand with 180- 320 grit sand paper.**
- **Reclean** with an appropriate Sherwin-Williams solvent cleaner, and wipe dry with a clean cloth.
- Stir or shake E2A819 Primer thoroughly before mixing
- Mix thoroughly before applying.
  - For 2.02 VOC, mix 4 parts E2A819 to 1 parts R7K7210\* to 1 part V6V815.
  - \*Note: For increased temperatures, ES20 can be used for improved overspray acceptance and melt-in.
  - Pot life @ 4 : 1 : 1 = >2 hours.

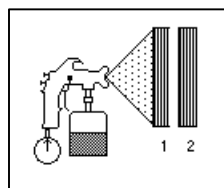
#### 2.01 VOC



### APPLICATION

#### Pressure Feed\*

Apply 2 light to medium coats.

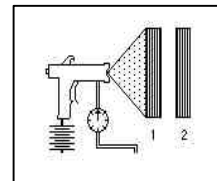


45-55 psi

Fluid Delivery:  
10-12 oz/min

#### Electrostatic

Apply 1 wet or 2 medium coats.



Binks Model 85B  
Kremlin KMP Conventional  
6-8 oz/min

### TOPCOAT

- SUNFIRE® 3.5 Low VOC Basecoat/Clearcoat
- SUNFIRE® Acrylic Urethane Enamel
- SUNFIRE Low VOC Acrylic Urethane Enamel
- ACRYLYD® 5.0 and HS
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Dimension® 3.5 HS Urethane Enamel
- SUNFIRE® BC/CC Acrylic Urethane Enamel
- GENESIS® Basecoat/Clearcoat
- GENESIS® 2.8/3.5 Low VOC Acrylic Urethane
- ULTRA 7000 Basecoat

### NOTES

- To speed cure time, add up to 2 ounces GA1097 Accelerator per sprayable gallon.
- Clean equipment immediately with non-alcohol containing solvents.
- Thicker film build will extend drying times.
- If E2A819 Primer is allowed to air dry 72 hours, thoroughly sand with 320 or 400 grit paper before recoating.
- When topcoating with ACRYLYD® 5.0 and ACRYLYD HS 3.5, E2A819 must be sanded after 48 hours.
- Higher temperatures and/or humidity will shorten dry times as well as pot life.
- When using E2A819 Primer, allow topcoat to cure 72 hours before applying decals. Extend dry time to 5 days in cool temperatures or if using large, thick, or foil backed decals.
- If wet sanding E2A819 excess water must be driven-out by heat or time (24 hours).
- Recommended dry film thickness is 1.5-2.0 mils.

### PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Read all label directions before use.
- Refer to MSDS for specific information.
- Wear a NIOSH approved organic vapor respirator when mixing and applying.
- Wear a NIOSH approved dust particulate mask when sanding.
- Wear safety glasses, coveralls, respirator and latex gloves when using product.

# PRODUCT DATA

*To learn more about Sherwin-Williams Automotive products, visit our Web site at [www.sherwin-autopaint.com](http://www.sherwin-autopaint.com)*